Quotation Request //

US Government Publishing Office

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JACKET:718-567

Quotations are Due By:

(**Eastern Time**)11:00 AM on 02/28/2023

Submit Quotes Online, unless otherwise instructed, via: http://contractorconnection.gpo.gov/openjobs.aspx Contractor must provide mandatory W-9 form before GPO makes payment.

TITLE: MONITOR POSTER QUANTITY: 1 **********

QUOTATIONS: This is a fixed-price contract. The offeror submitting a response shall quote the maximum quantity, inclusive of all costs (including non-reimbursable mail or freight, if applicable), that shall be delivered to the Government per the specification requirements for a total of \$2,307.87.

Quotations shall include the cost of all materials and operations for the total quantity ordered. Quotations shall be prepared in conformance with the Schedule of Prices.

Potential offerors shall submit via Contractor Connect the fixed price of \$2,307.87 plus the quantity (indicate the quantity of copies in the "Comment" field) that their company will produce for the fixed price. Additionally, a cost must be submitted for each additional 100 copies.

DETERMINATION OF AWARD: Award shall be made to the responsible offeror submitting a quotation, whose quotation specifies the most copies to be delivered to the Government for an all-inclusive, fixed-price total of \$2,307.87. Offerors submitting responses to this solicitation shall submit a total quantity- for the fixed price. In the event of a tie quantity, award shall be determined by the lowest, total per-unit price after application of prompt payment discount and Buy American Act factoring (if applicable). In the event there is still a tie, the contract will be awarded in accordance with the GPO Printing Procurement Regulations, Chapter XII.

Additionally, the quotation shall include separate unit pricing for each additional 100 copies.

QUOTES SUBMITTED AFTER THE DUE DATE AND TIME LISTED ABOVE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR THIS SMALL PURCHASE

-SUBMISSION OF QUOTES: Vendor to submit quotes via Quick Quote (https://contractorconnection.gpo.gov/OpenJobs.aspx). Fax, email, and phone quotes are not acceptable. Late quotes will not be accepted. All problems submitting quotes via Quick Quote must be reported prior to bid opening time to (office # 757-490-7940 x3).

-To register, go to Contractor Connection (https://securessl.access.gpo.gov/cc/Register.aspx).

Your Contract Administrator for this job is Theresa Nagel, 757-490-7940x3 tnagel@gpo.gov

TRIM SIZE: 18 x 27"

PAGES: 2 SCHEDULE:

Furnished Material will be available for pickup by 02/28/2023 Deliver complete (to arrive at destination) by 03/08/2023

F.O.B. destination

QUALITY LEVEL: 3 Quality Assurance Through Attributes (GPO PUB 310.1, effective May 1979 (Rev. 9-19)) applies.

DESCRIPTION:

PRINT 4CP head - head both sides full bleed on 80# TopKote Dull Cover

At contractor's option, the product may be produced via conventional offset or digital printing provided that Quality Level 3 standards are maintained. Final output must be a minimum of 150 line screen and at a minimum resolution of 2400 x 2400 dpi x 1 bit or 600 x 600 dpi x 8 bit depth technology. Digital device must have a RIP that provides an option for high quality color matching such as Device Links Technology and/or ICC Profiles.

MATERIAL FURNISHED: Contractor to receive. PDF and print package will be provided upon award.

Prior to image processing, the contractor shall perform an extensive check (preflight) of the furnished media and publishing files to assure correct output of the required reproduction image. Any errors, media damage, or data corruption that might interfere with proper file image processing must be reported to the Technical Contact on the Desktop Publishing Form, GPO 952.

The contractor shall create or any necessary trapping, set proper screen angles and screen frequency, and define file output selection for the imaging device being utilized. Furnished files must be imaged as necessary to meet the assigned quality level.

PAPER: * Must be in accordance with JCP Paper Specification Standards in effect on date of this order 80# TopKote Dull Cover or similar

COLOR OF INK:

4CP

PRINT PAGE: Head to Head

MARGINS: Full Bleed PROOFS:

Contractor to submit one Press Quality PDF soft proof (for content only) using the same Raster Image Processor (RIP) that will be used to produce the final printed product. PDF proof will be evaluated for text flow, image position, and color breaks. Proof will not be used for color match. Include REMINDER that agency can keep proof Two (2) workDAY. Date of receipt is NOT considered first workday.

Contractor must call Shannon Ricles 757-871-8312 to confirm receipt.

Email PDF to: shannon.ricles@noaa.gov and tnagel@gpo.gov

PACKING:

Box Suitable

DISTRIBUTION:

Contractor must notify the ordering agency on the same day that the product ships/delivers via e-mail sent to shannon.ricles@noaa.gov and tnagel@gpo.gov. The subject line of this message shall be Distribution Notice for Jacket 718-567. The notice must provide all applicable tracking numbers, shipping method, and Title. Contractor must be able to provide copies of all delivery, mailing, and shipping receipts upon agency request.

Deliver to: Monitor NMS 100 Museum Drive Newport News, VA 23606 **QUALITY ASSURANCE LEVELS AND STANDARDS:** The following levels and standards shall apply to these specifications:

Inspection Levels (from ANSI/ASQC Z1.4):

- (a) Non-destructive Tests -- General Inspection Level I.
- (b) Destructive Tests -- Special Inspection Level S-2.

Specified Standards-- The specified standards for the attributes requiring them shall be:

ATTRIBUTE SPECIFIED STANDARD

P-7. Type Quality and Uniformity

Average Type Dimension in Publication

P-10. Process Color Match Electronic media

PREAWARD SURVEY: In order to determine the responsibility of the prime contractor or any subcontractor, the Government reserves the right to conduct an on-site preaward survey at the contractor's/subcontractor's facility or to require other evidence of technical, production, managerial, financial, and similar abilities to perform, prior to the award of a contract. As part of the financial determination, the contractor in line for award may be required to provide one or more of the following financial documents:

- 1) Most recent profit and loss statement
- 2) Most recent balance sheet
- 3) Statement of cash flows
- 4) Current official bank statement
- 5) Current lines of credit (with amounts available)
- 6) Letter of commitment from paper supplier(s)
- 7) Letter of commitment from any subcontractor

The documents will be reviewed to validate that adequate financial resources are available to perform the contract requirements. Documents submitted will be kept confidential, and used only for the determination of responsibility by the Government. Failure to provide the requested information in the time specified by the Government may result in the Contracting Officer not having adequate information to reach an affirmative determination of responsibility.

PAYMENT: Submitting invoices for payment via the GPO fax gateway (if no samples are required) utilizing the GPO barcode coversheet program application is the most efficient method of invoicing. Instruction for using this method can be found at the following web address:

http://winapps.access.gpo.gov/fms/vouchers/barcode/instructions.html.

Invoices may also be mailed to: U.S. Government Publishing Office, Office of Financial Management, Attn: Comptroller, Stop: FMCE, Washington, DC 20401.

For more information about the billing process refer to the General Information of the Office of Finance web page located at https://www.gpo.gov/how-to-work-with-us/vendors/how-to-get-paid.

MODS: If any additional costs are incurred during the production of this job due to Government action (i.e. AAs), contractor is REQUIRED to contact the Printing Specialist in writing for approval BEFORE proceeding.

Attachment(s): Attachment(s) is/are part of the specification, click 'Download Attachment(s)' link below to view and print the attachments that are part of these specifications.

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